

No one knows all the effects of war. The old Romans ranged far and wide in the ancient world. Like Kilroy, many a Roman arch turned up in the ruins of some British village to show that Caesar's men had been there.

Rome conferred many benefits upon the world of her time. She taught discipline and the basic principles of civil law and domestic order to other nations. But, of course, she suffered eventually from the ailments that beset all world travelers — the love of luxury, indulgence of personal taste, until she became old and weak, and fell. But Rome lived for 800 years.

What am I saying? Why, I am thinking about the price of coffee, and I'm drawing a comparison in history. Coffee has gone above \$1 a pound. If you don't know why I'll tell you — for it's part of the same pattern old Rome knew.

Americans have always drunk more coffee than most of the rest of the world combined. The total supply of coffee is sharply limited. The best and the most of it comes from Brazil — and the U. S. A. was her main customer for a century.

While we were at peace and most Americans stayed home instead of roaming around the world we kept our personal taste for coffee and foreigners followed their own traditional choice of beverages. But along came World War II, and Americans were not only sent all over the earth but our outposts have been maintained in far places for a decade.

We took our coffee-drinking habit abroad with us; and, what's worse, we gave the habit to millions of foreign people.

Now many hands reach for the world's limited supply of coffee — where once there was only our own. Like old Rome, our U. S. A. has helped many a foreign country these days — and alas, like old Rome also, excursions abroad have brought a curse back home.

It's beginning to look like some of us will have to drink tea.

## Rialto Has Installed New Equipment

Patrons who visit the Rialto Theatre tonight will see a remarkably improved picture according to Eldon Coffman, City Manager of Hope Theatres, Inc. Last night and today the theatre projectionists have been busy installing a new "magic mirror" screen and new projection equipment.

The screen represents the latest development in motion picture projection and 100 per cent reflection is made possible by the silver surface. Mr. Coffman explained that until recently all motion picture screens were white, however many theatres are now changing to a screen with a silver surface, as the latter reflects a greater amount of light, is easier on the eyes, and improves color pictures beyond belief. The new screen is suitable for the showing of Three-Dimensional movies.

The Rialto is establishing a policy of running new, first-run pictures. Mr. Coffman stated and named the following pictures that will be showing there within the next month:

- "Half A Hero" starring Red Skelton and Jean Hagen
- "The Great Jesse James Raid" in Color with Willard Parker and Barbara Payton
- "Lilli" starring Mel Ferrer and Leslie Caron in Technicolor
- "Desert Rats" with James Mason and Richard Burton
- "The Actress" starring Spencer Tracy and Teresa Wright
- "Powder River" in Technicolor with Rory Calhoun and Corine Calvet
- "Paula" starring Loretta Young
- "Main Street To Broadway" with Ethel and Lionel Barrymore
- "Battle Circus" starring Humphrey Bogart and June Allyson
- "Story Of Three Loves" with Kirk Douglas and Pier Angeli

## Moore to Open a Second Meat Market Here

Jewel Moore Jr., owner of Moore Bros. announced today he will open a second market in Hope. The City Market will be located at 121 South Walnut street, and will open for business Friday morning January 22.

Norman Grant who has had many years experience as a butcher will be the manager of this new market. The market will carry a complete line of beef, pork, poultry, and fish. Mr. Moore invites the public to visit this new market.

## Negroes Offer Reward for Slayer

LITTLE ROCK (UP) — Arkansas Negroes have started a reward fund for information leading to the arrest of the killer of an Arkansas Baptist college coed.

Dorothy Mae McGee, 20, Cotton Plant, was shot to death here Jan. 12.

Negro Attorney J. R. Booker started the reward movement. He said several hundred dollars already have been contributed.



## Mrs. Simington, Westbrook Beat Charges

By CARL BELL

ASHDOWN (AP) — The misapplication charge Thomas F. Westbrook, former vice president and cashier of the shortage-wrecked Bank of Dierks, was dismissed today at the request of the state.

Prosecutor R. Coker Thomas made his motion for dismissal when court called back to order following a noon recess.

Circuit Judge George Steel promptly ordered the dismissal. The move came after the state had called only two witnesses. Thomas said he still plans to prosecute 43 other state charges against Westbrook and Mrs. Opal Simington, former assistant cashier of the bank, at the July term of Little River Circuit Court.

By CARL BELL

ASHDOWN (AP) — The state was unsuccessful this morning in the first two of three efforts to introduce exhibits in the trial of Thomas F. Westbrook on charge of misapplying funds of the defunct Bank of Dierks.

Westbrook former vice president and cashier, is the second officer of the bank, ruined by a \$185,000 shortage in 1952, to be brought to trial on a criminal charge in Little River Circuit Court.

Mrs. Opal Simington former assistant cashier, was acquitted of a charge of forgery yesterday.

Westbrook is charged specifically with failing to credit the account of Russell Davis with a \$480 deposit Davis said he made on March 17, 1951.

Prosecutor R. Coker Thomas sought to introduce a carbon copy of a deposit slip of \$480 to Davis' account.

Asked if this was a duplicate of a deposit slip filled out for him by the defendant, Davis replied "This is a deposit slip. It hit ain't hit is exactly like the one he gave me."

On cross examination, Davis said he was unable to say positively that the slip was a duplicate of the original slip filled out by Westbrook.

Judge George Steel then ruled that the carbon was inadmissible as evidence. The prosecutor attempted to introduce a sheaf of ledger sheets from the Bank of Dierks.

Judge Steel said these also could not be accepted as evidence because, "They bear notations reflecting the opinion of Federal Deposit Insurance Corp., examiners."

Thomas later succeeded in getting into evidence one sheet on which there were no notations.

Davis testified that a ledger sheet shown him after the bank was closed in August, 1952, showed his accounts short \$1,100.

Defense Attorney Bobby Steel asked: "Isn't it true that you wrote a check for \$25 in 1952, and it was raised to \$725?"

Davis replied: "Yes, sir."

The defense attorney declared, "That accounts for your shortage."

Davis told the jury he had asked the bank about his balance "pretty regular" in 1952 and that figures given to him orally by Mrs. Simington tallied with his own bookkeeping. He said the bank never showed him his ledger sheet.

The second state witness was Alonzo Cannady, a FDIC examiner. Most of his testimony this morning concerned his arrest in DeQueen, Ark., on Aug. 28, 1952.

Steel introduced in evidence a DeQueen police docket showing that Cannady pleaded guilty of drunkenness and forfeited a \$10 bond.

About a year ago a Federal Grand Jury indicted both defendants on numerous counts growing out of the shortage. Some charges were dismissed in federal court on technicalities. The district attorney.

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## Eleven Hempstead County Men Enter Armed Services

Hempstead County had eleven men taken into the armed forces Monday. The following six were volunteers: James William Moten, Charles Edwards Cooper, Johnny Lee Sampson, Raymond Burton Jr., Glen Dell Muldrow and Issiah Eastor.

Also drafted into the service: Robert Brooks Collins, Bobby Douglas Plumley, Lloyd Wayne Butler, Dan Robert Miller and Lan Clinton Anderson.

## Cold Weather Scheduled to Hit Tonight

By The Associated Press  
SPRING WEATHER in mid-January, accompanied by heavy rain, is expected to end in Arkansas tonight.

The U. S. Weather Bureau at Little Rock said that temperatures tonight will drop 20 degrees to below freezing levels. The high temperatures this afternoon were forecast in the 60s. A low of 10 degrees in the northwest areas is forecast for tonight.

Low temperatures at many cities early today didn't vary greatly from the highest temperature readings of yesterday, the bureau said. Arkansas' high yesterday was 68 at Morrilton. The lowest temperature in the state this morning was 52 degrees at Filpkin.

At least six points reported rains of more than two inches. The heaviest fall—3.02 inches—was recorded at Devils Knob. Other points with two inches or more of rain included Ozark 2.86 inches; Ratcliffe, 2.44; Gilbert, 2.22; Calico Rock, 2.12; and Norfolk, 2 inches. More than 12 stations reported an inch or more.

## Three Persons Killed in Plane Crash

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Three persons were killed today when a chartered cargo plane crashed while attempting to land during a snow storm at the municipal air terminal.

The DC-3 plane, flying here from Jackson, Mich., under charter to General Motors Corp., crashed on the bank of the Missouri River only a short distance from the north end of the airport. It did not burn.

The men were tentatively identified by P. N. Goldstein, air safety investigator for the CAB, as:

William Dale Speaks, 33, Van Nuys, Calif.

Edward F. Kaselak, 39, Miami, Fla.

Bryan R. Williams, 31, Lykens, Pa.

Goldstein said he did not know which of the three was the pilot. All the bodies were found in the crew compartment.

The plane was operated by the Zantop Flying Service of Jackson, Mich., and was carrying a load of automotive parts.

The plane crashed sometime between 7:05 and 8 a. m. (CST), but apparently there were no witnesses to the crash.

H. C. HOLLOELL DIES  
JONESBORO (AP) — Hubert C. Hollowell, 74, of Poca, Okla., a longtime member of the State Republican Executive Committee, died at a hospital here yesterday.

He was postmaster at Poca for more than 20 years ago.

His widow and two sons survive. The funeral will be held at Poca today afternoon.

## GOPs Take Political Power in Washington But Demos Head Up the City Socially

By HAL BOYLE  
WASHINGTON (AP) — Leaves from a Capital visitor's diary:

The Republicans took power politically in the nation's Capital a year ago, but socially they haven't been able to knock the Democrats off the ramps.

The Democrats refused to don sackcloth and ashes after their defeat. This has led to some grumbling that under the Eisenhower regime the minority party members, gay as jaybirds, still rule the social scene. Certainly it is true that few have retired to hermitages.

One disgruntled lady, who obviously regards Democrats as responsible grasshoppers and Republicans as earnest ants, wrote to a local newspaper:

"Why are't they (the Republicans) throwing more and better shindigs with gin, orchids, mink and caviar? ... They have taken over

the serious side of running our government and are not so concerned over entertainment and the social whirl.

"Let the Democrats dominate the scene; that's one of the reasons they were relieved of power."

Another lady, perhaps more neutral in her politics, told me: "This should be one of the most active seasons socially since before the war. The biggest difference I have noticed under the present administration is that the parties are smaller and more formal."

But nobody in a responsible post foresees an early doom to that famous institution—the Washington cocktail party.

The recipe for one of these is: Take 5 assorted politicians, military leaders, diplomats and their wives, garnish well with bourbon and event.

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ACCUSING FINGER — Kidnap victim Leonard Moskowitz, 36, right, points accusing finger at his two abductors after confronting them in the San Francisco district attorney's office. Joseph Lear, left, and Harold Jackson, center, were picked up early Tuesday morning after holding Moskowitz, captive since last Saturday. — NEA Telephoto



MOST PUBLICIZED — Desiderio Arnez IV, probably the most publicized baby in the country, celebrated his first birthday January 19. Here, he engages in a laugh-fest with his famous mother, Lucille Ball. — NEA Telephoto

## Farmers to Be Dined in Celebration

One of the more enjoyable features of the "Farmer's Week" observation in Hope next week will be the serving of the free noon meal Thursday by the merchants themselves. The meal will be served in the building formerly occupied by Rounton and Co., Directing chefs for the occasion are Dewey Baber and Cecil Delaney with a host of other good cooks and hashers working in the chow line. The meal will be served between 12:00 and 1:00 to all farm families attending the big day's celebration in Hope that day.

Much enthusiasm is being generated, particularly by the women over the treasure hunt scheduled for Thursday morning. County Home Demonstration Agent Lorraine Blackwood Wylie reports this morning that the entire membership, in many instances, of the Home Demonstration Clubs plan to be in town and take part in the day's activities.

The afternoon program will be one of extreme interest and benefit to the entire family and nice door prizes have been arranged for the afternoon.

President Ned Purdie, of the Hempstead County Farm Bureau Federation, reports that large numbers of farm families in this area have indicated their intentions of being present in Hope for the big day Thursday, January 28.

## U. S. Allies Trading Freely With China

By PHIL NEWSOM  
UP Foreign News Editor

Whether the United States likes it or not, its Allies steadily are building up their trade with Russia and Red China.

American businessmen, too, are getting restless over the fact that a market of more than \$700,000,000 people is lying fallow. Which, no doubt was at least partially responsible for President Eisenhower's assertion last week that his administration is reviewing the whole question of trade with Communist countries.

A Minnesota businessman's proposal to barter surplus United States butter and cottonseed oil for Russian goods was one example of attempts to find legitimate avenues of trade with the Reds.

Also interested is the American automobile industry. The British board of trade already has okayed sales of light cars to Red China. In no case has there been a suggestion that the ban on the sale of strategic, i.e., war-making, goods to the Reds be lifted, but rather that the list of strategic goods might be revised in the light of events.

Although accurate statistics have not been kept, officials believe that corba bites are responsible for several thousand deaths a year in India.

## Mother's March Workers to Meet Friday p. m.

A call meeting of all captains and their co-workers for the Mother's March On Polio will be held at Garland School Friday, January 22, at 2 p. m.

Mrs. Andy Andrews is general chairman, and captains are: Mesdames Lyle Brown, Frank McLarty, Milton Eason, Claude Tillery, J. W. Franks, Roger Dew, Virgil Keeley, George Peck, Clyde Zinn, and Miss Mary Anita Laseler.

## Baptist Women Emphasize Society's Work

The Baptist Women's Missionary Society of First Baptist Church will have an Emphasis Focusing on its work today in the lobby of the Church. All persons are urged to see this display of various phases of the work.

The booths will be decorated with streamers, posters, globes, costume dolls, curios, an explanation as to the Division of Dollar when given to Missionary causes, etc.

The Units of work of the Missionary Society will include: Missionary Education of the Young People, Missions Study Booth, Community Missions, Stewardship, Literature and Program.

The Baptist Women are anxious that people know about this vital work. At 7:30 p. m. tonight, Wednesday, the work will be on display and Hope folks are invited to come view this work and remain for the Prayer Meeting service.

Tuesday the ladies of the Missionary Society met at the church for a Community Missions Study and a covered dish luncheon. During the morning session the following ladies took part on the program:

Mrs. L. C. Cook, program director; Mrs. Hugh Jones, Mrs. Gus Haynes, Mrs. Walter Miller, Mrs. Franklin Horton; Mrs. Henry Haynes; Mrs. Atchison; Mrs. Jack Hogg; Mrs. Clyde Osborn; with the morning session closing by a lovely Flannelgraph Demonstration by Mrs. Henry Haynes and the Hymn, "Take My Life and Let It Be."

During the afternoon session the following program was given: A two-part Devotional by Mrs. Henry Haynes and Mrs. Jack Hogg; A Poster Demonstration by Mrs. Floyd Osborn; and a Playlet entitled, "Will You Go," given by Mrs. Ed Nutt and Mrs. Perry Moses. Closing talks were given by Mrs. Hugh Jones and Mrs. L. C. Cook.

Up at Fayetteville Carolyn Cox of Fulton is treasurer of Pi Beta Phi; Don Hadden of Lewisville is home manager of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. . . . and Tommy Britt of Hope will receive his airforce commission as an ROTC graduate.

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## Coffee Firms Warned Habit Can Be Broken

By WARREN DUFFEE

WASHINGTON, (UP) — Sen. A. S. Mike Monroney (D-Okla.) warned the coffee industry today that if it keeps shoving prices up it may "break America's coffee drinking habit."

Monroney spoke out after major food chains jumped prices on national brands three cents a pound — to \$1.00 — and experts said the worst is yet to come.

His warning came as a move gained momentum to force coffee prices back down by boycotting the beverage.

Word of the first "organized resistance" came from Rhode Island, where the State Restaurant Association voted to banish all signs advertising coffee and substitute posters pushing milk, tea or chocolate. Other restaurant associations across the country were considering similar steps.

Wholesale coffee prices are soaring because Brazil's coffee bean crop was cut severely last year by frosts. Brazil is this country's chief supplier.

So far, retail prices have not been affected too much. A spot check by the United Press showed that prices for a pound of coffee that prices for a fairly steady for the last three weeks it has been 95 cents in Detroit and 96 cents in San Francisco.

But experts fear that when the wholesale rise begins to tell retail prices may climb to as much as \$1.20 a pound. And there are reports that coffee already costs 5 cents a cup in some restaurants.

Officials at the agriculture department said gloomily it may be "one or two years" before production catches up with demand and there is a firm trend toward lower prices.

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This policy does not affect hotels and restaurants, which will continue to receive regular orders.

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## All Around the Town

By The Star Staff

The local Independent Girls Basketball team called attention to Hope firms who bought their uniforms, expressing gratitude to:

Bill Wray Supply, Sid Rogers Buick, Young Chevrolet, L. B. Delaney Grocery, Citizens and First Nat'l banks, Western Auto, Owen's Dept. Store, Rephan's Dept. Store, Hope Locker Co., Hope Hardware Co. and the Star.

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## Council Acts to Prevent Fire Insurance Hike

### Entries in Local Checker Tourney Are Sought

The Park and Recreation Department is giving a second notice to checker players in this vicinity to register for their checker tournament to be held the night of January 20th.

So far, there have been several entries from Hope and surrounding territory but facilities are available for many more.

The Department would like to emphasize that entries are not restricted to the City of Hope, but include all communities in this area. To repeat, the tournament will be run in a very informal manner and it's guaranteed that there will be no "Pro's" imported. All checker players in this vicinity are urged to enter before Monday, January 25. Entrants please contact J. I. Leblong at the Leblong Realty Co. or Charles Gough at the City Hall.

## Jury Expected to Get Assault Case Today

A jury is expected to get the case of Charley Graham, Hope Negro charged with assault with intent to kill, early this afternoon in the opening session of Hempstead Circuit Court.

Yesterday Judge Lyle Brown sentenced Isaac Coleman, Jr. of North Hempstead County, to a year in the penitentiary for a third offense of selling liquor in a dry county. The purchase from Coleman was made by persons connected with the sheriff's office.

## Victory Club Goes All Out in Dimes Drive

One hundred five dollars and fifty-six cents has been raised for the March of Dimes Campaign by the 30 members of the Victory Home Demonstration Club announces Mrs. Cecil Smith, Route 3 Hope, chairman of the March of Dimes Committee.

Tuesday, members of the Victory Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Carlton Roberts, Route 4, Hope, and prepared 140 lunches and delivered the lunches to previously contacted business people of Hope.

The lunch consisted of a generous helping of baked chicken, dressing and gravy, creamed potatoes, English peas, a salad and relishes. Home Baked cake was used for dessert. Coffee was also served with the lunches delivered to the handle mill.

Each year the Victory Home Demonstration Club members make a large contribution to the local March of Dimes campaign as well as to other local fund drives and other worthwhile organizations. Recently the Victory Home Demonstration Club members received national recognition for their contribution last year to the Arkansas Crippled Children's Home in Little Rock. Mrs. Annie Smith, Route 4, Hope, is the 1954 Club President.

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### WEATHER FORECAST

Arkansas — Cold wave washing in extreme northwest. Clouds with occasional rain, turning much clearer in the northwest today. Rain changing to freezing rain by snow freezing of snow over most of state much colder.

Experiment Station report for 24-hour period ending at 8 a. m. Wednesday, High 67, Low 55, precipitation .11

## City to Meet Requirement for 6th Class

Hope City Council took steps last night to keep this city in a sixth class fire insurance rating following a December inspection which revealed fire defenses are not keeping pace with growth of industry.

Reclassifying the city would mean an increase from 28 to 36 cents per hundred on fire insurance.

A detailed report of the inspection from the Arkansas Inspection and Rating Bureau has been studied by the council, which was scheduled last night to take immediate steps to carry out necessary recommendations. The first step was to hire another full-time fireman who will be named as soon as requirements are approved.

Recommendations

In order to maintain its present rating the City must comply with the following 13 recommendations:

1. Install an 8-inch main from Louisiana Street from 56th to 60th and 60th to 64th.

2. Install a 12-inch main from Hazel from Division to Third and along Second from Walnut to Third with a new hydrant at Hazel and Second.

NOTE: In lieu of the above recommendations install a 10-inch line elevated from the main in the South Ninth and South Walnut in the connection to the system which runs north.

3. Install the following hydrants: 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th.

4. Install hydrants at the following locations: Edgewood and Fifth; Spruce and Third; Walnut and Third; Hickory and Grove; Oak and Hazel.

5. There is no more 4-inch pipe installed as a means of providing fire protection.

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# Oldsmobiles Are Now on Display

Oldsmobile for 1954 goes on display Wednesday, January 20, one year ahead of schedule.

The new 1954 Oldsmobile models originally were planned for release in 1953, according to J. F. Wolcott, general manager of Oldsmobile and vice president of General Motors. "But original plans were scrapped early in 1953 when it was found possible to move the 1954 model up to 1954. The results of this skip-a-year program is the most completely new, completely redesigned, completely advanced Oldsmobile in many years." On display in Hope at Gib Lewis Auto Sales, 500 S. Walnut.

The new models, '88', 'Super' and 'Rocket', are a full three inches lower than their predecessors without sacrificing ground clearance. They feature such sweeping changes as an all new body by Fisher, new wide, wrap-around panoramic windshield, new sweep-cut fender and door design and many other styling innovations.

The new "Rocket" engine is bigger—up in horsepower from 165 to 185 in the Super '88' and '98' models, (170 in the '88' models) and up in compression ratio from 8.1 to 8.25. Engine displacement is increased from 303 to 324 cu. in. and the entire car is engineered so that the increased power is useable power—power that can be put to use in the medium and low speed ranges in almost every day driving situation.

# More Fighting Up to U. S., Says Indian

BY HAROLD GUARD  
LONDON, (UP) — K. Krishnan Menon, an Indian who presented the United Nations with the formal bid to stop the shooting war in Korea, said today it is up to the United States to decide whether the United States to decide whether to continue the war.

Menon, who is up to the United States to decide whether to continue the war, said that the United States should lead to violence, he said. He also renewed the warning by the United Nations that the United States will continue the armistice agreement if the United States does not stop the war.

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# HOW TO FIGURE YOUR INCOME TAX—

# Figure Income Tax Carefully; Don't Pay More Than You Must

This is the first in a series of articles based on information provided by the Arkansas Society of Certified Public Accountants and the American Institute of Accountants.

Between now and March 15 most Americans must file a federal tax return for 1953 income. On the basis of past experience about 1 out of 4 returns will contain an error of \$2 or more.

Each year, believe it or not, over a million taxpayers pay more than they really owe. And altogether it costs them more than \$100,000,000. To help you prepare a correct return and avoid mistakes that can cost you money, this newspaper is printing articles prepared with the help of the state and national organizations of certified public accountants.

Today's article deals with problems faced by almost anyone who has to make out a tax return. Later articles will give special hints on deductions you can take, particularly if you own a car, a house or a business. Use this series along with the official instructions that accompany your tax forms to help you make out your return.

Most Frequent Mistakes  
According to the results of a sampling by the Internal Revenue Service, the mistakes most often made by taxpayers fall into these four groups:

1. Incorrect listing of income. This is the main source of error in the preparation of a tax return. Many people make mistakes on income tax by leaving out such items as interest on savings accounts, dividends, contest winnings, or by including items that are specifically exempt.

2. Errors in personal deductions. These include the standard deduction, state and local taxes, interest paid on loans, charitable contributions, medical expenses, losses from fire and theft.

3. Claiming too many or too few exemptions. Exemptions are allowed

# Streamlined Oldsmobile Super "88" Holiday



Automotive glamor is evident in the streamlined styling and low silhouette of this 1954 Oldsmobile Super "88" Holiday coupe. With a road height of only 53 1/2 inches, the Super "88" Holiday offers the ultimate in luxury and ultra-modern design. The chassis has been completely redesigned to assure adequate road clearance. The panoramic windshield, inspired by custom sports car styling, provides full

forward vision without any obstructing cornerposts. A graceful dip in the body belt line where it meets the door opening is another sports car flair. Total glass area is 221 sq. in. greater than the comparable 1953 model. The low contour hood covers a more powerful 185-h.p. "Rocket" engine with 8.25 to 1 compression ratio, Hydra-Matic Drive, power steering, power brakes, are optional.

# MARKETS

## ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK

### NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, ILL.

Hogs 7,000; moderately active; barrows and gilts mostly 25-40 lower, instances 50 off on weights under 170 lb; weights over 270 lb very uneven; sows weak to 25 lower; bulk choice 180220 lb 26.0025; largely 26.10-15; 230240 lb 25.5025; few to 26.00; 250270 lb 24.225.23; few to 25.50; 270-310 lb 23.7524.75; 150170 lb 25.00 26.25; cows 400 lb down 22.50 23.50; heavier sows 21.50-22.50.

Cattle 4,500; calves 900, trading slow; few high commercial and good steers about steady at 19.00 21.50; cows slow; few sales weak; most light and some sales 50 low-34; utility and commercial cows 11.0013.50; canners and cutters 8.0011.50; bulls and vealers unchanged; utility and commercial bulls 12.5014.50; cutter bulls 10.00 12.00; good and choice vealers 24.0030.00; commercial and good vealers 17.0023.00.

Sheep 1,500; lambs opening steady; several lots choice and prime woolskins 21.0022.00; aged sheep firm; most slaughter ewes 4.005.00.

## POULTRY AND PRODUCE

CHICAGO (UP) — Live poultry steady to firm; receipts 431 coops; 16.5; paying prices unchanged; heavy hens 27-20; light hens 18-19; fryers or broilers 23-26; old roosters 17-19; ducklings none.

Butter steady; receipts 1,086,873;

of the armistice agreement might prompt the Chinese and North Korea to start fighting again, Menon said that was possible, but expressed his doubts the Chinese want to renew the war.

"It is up to the United States," he said. "The Indian said he is convinced the Red Chinese genuinely want a political conference on Korea."

"They have told us many times they want a political conference," he said.

Asked if he thought a violation

wholesale buying prices unchanged; 92 score AA 65; 92 A 65; 90 B 62.75; 89 C 62.25; cars: 90 B 63.25 90 C 62.75.

Eggs steady to firm; receipts 16,378; wholesale buying prices unchanged to 1/2 higher, U. S. large 47.5; U. S. mediums 45.5; U. S. standards 45 current receipts 43 checks and dirties 41.5.

## NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK (UP) — Cotton futures were irregular in moderately active trading today. Increased liquidation of nearby March contracts unsettled old crop months. New crop deliveries held relatively steady, at there was little activity in those deliveries.

Late afternoon prices were 60 cents a bale lower to 35 cents higher than the previous close. March 35.41, May 33.66 and July 33.66.

## GRAIN AND ROVISIONS

CHICAGO (UP) — Feed grains drew some support on the Board of Trade, today while wheat and soybeans rested after their upward surge of the previous session.

Dealings slackened from yesterday's rapid pace and gains in corn and oats never went above fractions. The upturn brought out a substantial increase in offerings of cash corn by the country.

Wheat closed unchanged to 1/4 lower, March \$2.12, corn 3/4 lower to 1/4 higher, March 1.53, oats 1/4 higher, March 80 1/4, rye 1/4 higher, March 1.22 1/4, soybeans 2 cents lower to 1/4 higher, January 3.10 1/4-3.11, and a large 5 to 42 cents a hundred pounds lower, January 15.90-15.80.

Cash wheat none. Corn: No. 1 yellow 1.58 1/2 No. 2 1.57-58 1/2; No. 2 white 1.76. Oats: No. 1 white 81 1/2. Soybeans none.

Barley nominal: Maltling 1.30-62; feed 36-1.18. Field seed per 100 lb nominal: White clover 9.25-75; red top 57.00-58.00; alsike 15.00-16.00; timothy 11.75-12.25; red clover 25.00-26.00.

## NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK (UP) — Few strong points stood out today in a steady stock market.

At the best, some gains went to around a point in key sections. Most prices movements were rather small.

Total volume for the day approached two million shares.

Demand was vigorous at times for many rails, aircrafts, and distillers. Other areas were largely steady to mixed.

Higher stocks included Studebaker, Douglas Aircraft, Schenley Industries, National Distillers, Illinois Central, and Allied Chemical.

To File or Not to File

Everybody whose gross income was \$600 or more in 1953 must file a return by March 15, 1954 (or the 15th day of the third month after the end of your fiscal year). Even if your income was less than \$600, you will have to file a return to get back any tax that may have been withheld by your employer. In any case, if you had as much as \$400 in earnings from self-employment you must file a return to report these earnings for social security purposes.

## Which Form Is Best?

The easiest form is the simplified Form 1040-A, and you may use it if your total income was less than \$5,000, consisting entirely of wages subject to withholding (or of wages, dividends and interest, provided you did not have more than \$100 of such income outside of that listed on your W-2 slips). The simplified form makes no provision for "head of household" status or itemized deductions. If you use this form the government figures your tax and sends you either a bill or a refund.

In order to figure your own tax you must use Form 1040. This form is generally used as a "short form," if your income was less than \$5,000, and your tax is taken from a table which allows a deduction of about 10% for contributions, interest paid, taxes, medical expenses, etc. You must use a Form 1040 as a "long form" if your income was \$5,000 or more or if you wish to itemize your deductions.

If your deductions are close to 10% it is wise to itemize them and figure your tax both with the itemized deductions and with the standard deduction to see which way results in the smaller tax.

(Next week—"Taxpayers May Save Money by Filing Joint Returns.")

# Coffee Firms

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vanced 15 cents a pound in the last eight weeks.

Stewart added that the recent company strike also had affected coffee marketing. He declared that when can deliveries were uncertain, coffee dealers hesitated to speculate in the coffee market.

The company sells "Stewart's Private Blend" coffee. About half the firm's business is with hotels and restaurants.

# Arkansas Senators Sponsoring Bill

WASHINGTON (UP) — Sens. Fulbright and McClellan of Arkansas are among 34 senators who are

# Mrs. Simington

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ney dropped the others.

That was where the state stepped into the case. Prosecutor Coker Thomas filed a total of 45 charges against Westbrook and Mrs. Simington. The first charge tried was the one which ended yesterday in Mrs. Simington's acquittal. After hearing two days of testimony the jury deliberated only 35 minutes.

Thomas has said he plans to prosecute all the charges.

The 47-year-old Mr. Simington was charged with forging a \$3,300 check, payable to "cash," on the account of Mrs. Emma Kesterion, a depositor at the Bank of Dierks, on April 30, 1952.

Taking the stand as the final defense witness, Mrs. Simington denied that she had written the check or had even seen it before it was introduced by the state Monday.

State Revenue Commissioner Vance Scurlock, who investigated the bank shortage as an FBI agent, had told the jury he showed the check to Mrs. Simington in 1952. He testified that she admitted then that she wrote the check "to take care of other shortage at the bank."

Linton Godown of Memphis, who described himself as an examiner of questioned documents, was asked to compare the forged checks with instruments filled out in the courtroom by Mrs. Simington. He testified that, in his opinion, they were in the same handwriting.

Defense Attorney Boyd Tackett later handed Godown a sheet of paper and asked him to determine how many persons had written on it. The handwriting expert refused on the grounds that it was a trick and that he would need "two or three hours" time.

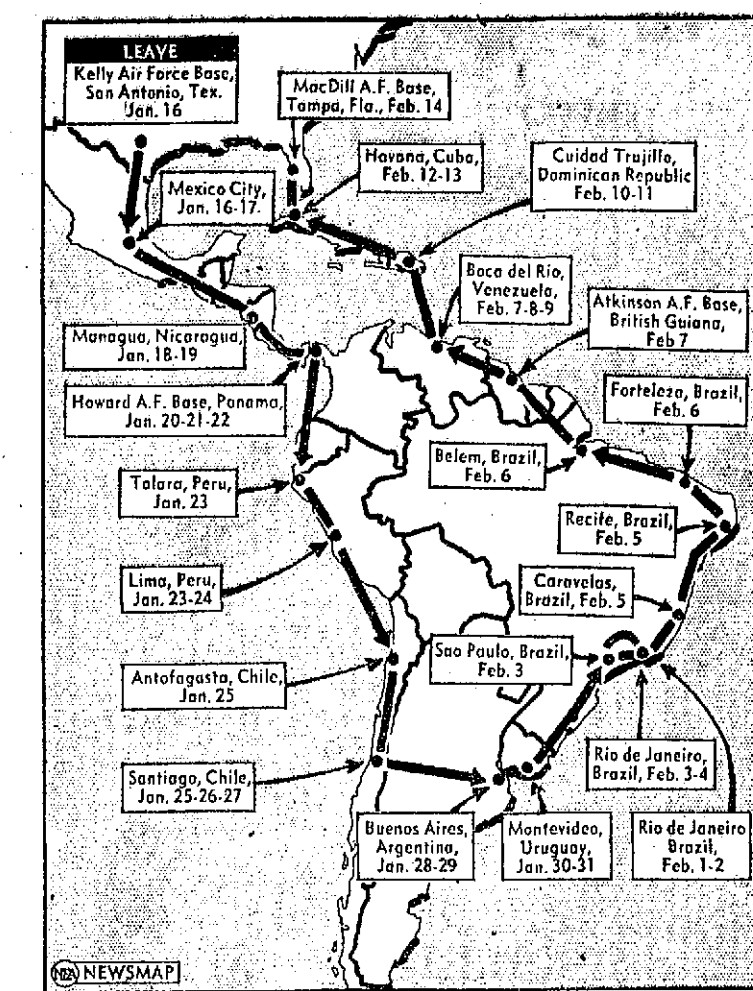
Testimony was conflicting on virtually every point raised in the trial.

Mrs. Simington denied state

sponsoring a bill to spend federal revenues from offshore oil and gas deposits on education.

The bill was introduced yesterday.

A similar proposal was adopted by the Senate at the last session of Congress. It was rejected by the House.



**JETS ON GOOD-WILL TOUR**—Above Newsmap shows the itinerary of a flight of 15 U. S. jet aircraft, which will make a one-month good-will tour of South America starting Jan. 16. Maj.-Gen. Reuben C. Hood, commanding general of the Caribbean Air Command, will head the tour. It is the first time modern jet Air Force planes will visit the Latin-American republics. Purpose of the trip will be to emphasize the need of hemisphere defense. The jets will return to the U. S. on Feb. 14.

ments by FBI agents that bank papers found in an unused out-house at her home bore recent dates and included the forged check. She said all the documents were at least three years old and of no value.

Tackett himself took the stand to deny much of Scurlock's testimony.

In his closing argument, Tackett, a former congressman, berated the insurance corporations.

Shaking his fist he shouted:

"The FBI never took credit for

anything but what some constable did it. If there is as much short- age at the bank as the newspaper say, then the FBI and the FDIC agents ought to be in the penitentiary for not finding it. The FBI doesn't know where one penny is."

The crowded courtroom broke into laughter at frequent exchanges involving Tackett and Thomas but quieted down when Judge George Steel threatened to expel the next person who laughed.

Tackett asked if he (Tackett)

had not helped FBI agents box up documents found in Mrs. Simington's outhouse.

Scurlock, on the witness stand at the time, came back:

"You shuffled around there but you didn't do any of the work."

In his closing argument Tackett said that if a certain witness would "lie about one thing, he'd lie about another."

"So would Boyd Tackett," Thom as interjected.

The defense attorney stormed headlessly at the prosecutor:

"Don't you accuse me of lying." Whereupon both attorneys were called down by Judge Steel. The judge previously had warned Thomas to stop shouting his questions at Mrs. Simington.

Throughout the trial, Mrs. Simington showed no signs of nervousness.

Her chief concern apparently was voiced when she told a reporter:

"I'm afraid all the publicity over this thing is going to hurt my chances of getting a job. I can't even get the employment agencies to answer my letters."

She hasn't worked since she was relieved at the bank Aug. 13, 1952.

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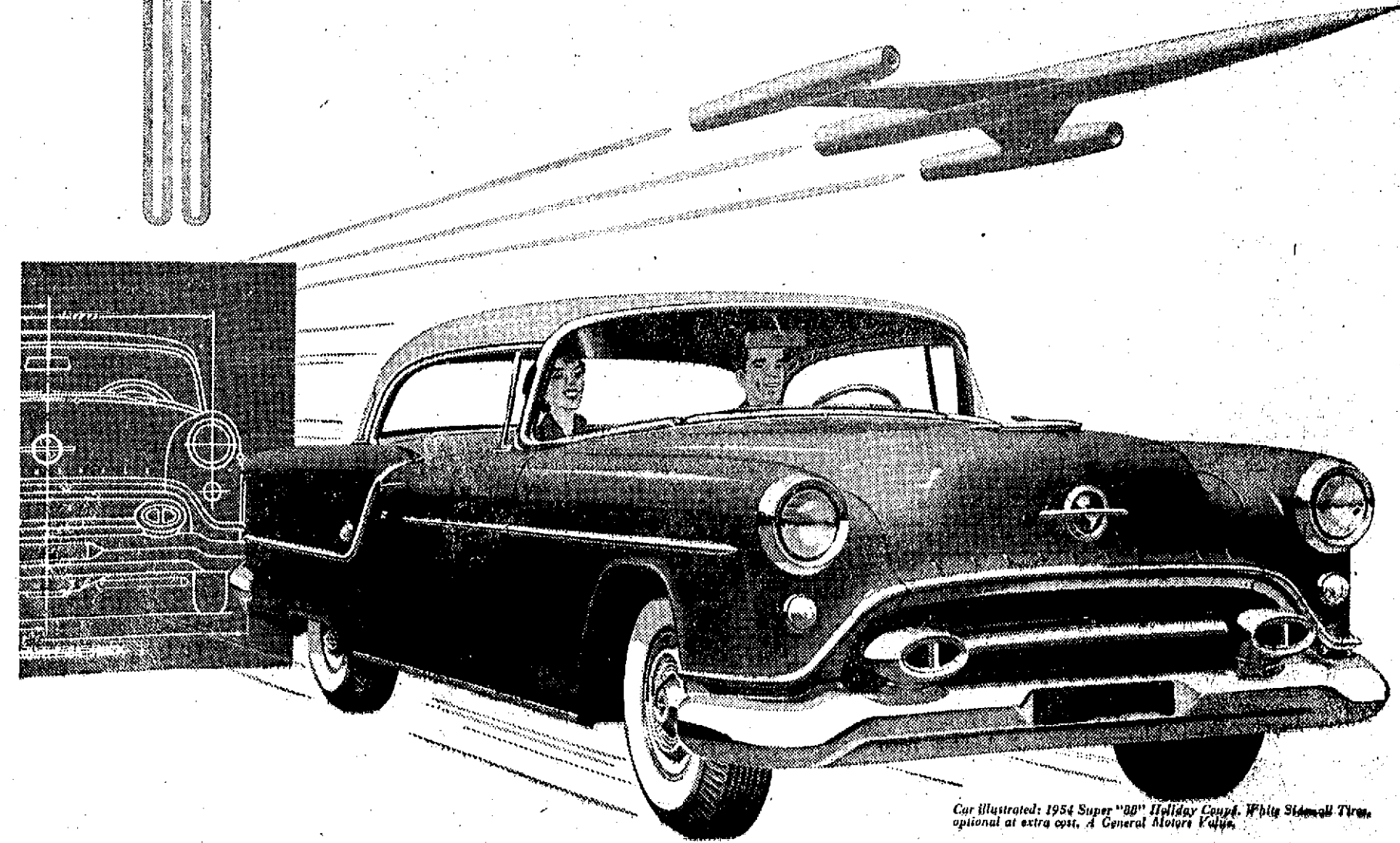
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## Calendar

Wednesday, January 20

The Lilac Garden Club will meet Wednesday, January 20, at 2:30 at the home of Miss Mable Ethridge, Associate. Hostesses will be Mrs. Dewey Camp and Mrs. S. G. Norton.

Mrs. Olin Purcell and Mrs. Victor Cobb will be hostesses to The Wisteria Garden Club at 1:30 on Wednesday, January 20, at the home of Mrs. Purcell. Mrs. Fred Glanton is in charge of the program. A mass arrangement of any material is to be brought by each member.

Thursday, January 21

The Fulton Rose Garden Club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. E. Cox Jr. on Thursday, January 21, at 2:30 p. m., with Mrs. F. O. Hughton and Mrs. Gus Davis as co-hostesses.

The home of Mrs. Roger Dew will be the scene of the Daffodil Garden Club meeting on Thursday afternoon, January 21, at 2 o'clock. Co-hostesses will be Mrs. Gordon Bayless, Mrs. Bill Tolleson will present the program on "Conservation."

The Eastern Star will sponsor a spaghetti supper at the Masonic Hall on Thursday night, January 21, at 6:30. The public is invited. If you plan to attend call 7-3804 or 7-2214 by Wednesday. The regular meeting will follow at 7:30.

The Azalea Garden Club will meet Thursday at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Basil York with Mrs. Cecil Wyatt and Mrs. G. A. Hobbs as co-hostesses.

The Girl Scout Community Committee will meet Thursday, January 21, at 10 a. m. at the City Hall.

Friday, January 22  
On Friday, January 22, at 7:30 p. m., the Friday Music Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Earl O'Neal. The program on Russian music will be given by Mrs. Jim McKenzie.

All captains and co-workers for the "Mothers' March On Polio" will have a meeting at the Garland School on January 22 at 2 p. m.

Girl Scout Troop 2 under the leadership of Kay Camp and Mrs. H. H. Tippitt will meet Friday at 4 p. m. at the Little House. Girls

are asked to bring homemade candy for the candy sale.

Monday January 25  
W. S. C. S. Circle 5 of the Methodist church will meet Monday, January 25, at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Lyle McMahan (Oakhaven) with Mrs. Grover Thompson and Mrs. Harrell Hall as co-hostesses. Mrs. H. E. Patterson will introduce and lead the first session of "The Prophet Jeremiah" assisted by Mesdames Wayne Russell, Howard Byers, James Cross and C. V. Nunn, Jr. The devotional poem, "Another Year Is Dawning," will be given by Mrs. John Wilson, Jr. All members are urged to attend.

Paisley 4-H Club Elects Officers  
The Paisley 4-H Club met Tuesday afternoon, January 19, in the school auditorium with their leader, Mrs. L. B. Wolfe.

The following new officers were elected: president, Betty Beard, vice-president, Jo Ann David, secretary, Ann Sprague, and reporter, Linda Rogers.  
Mrs. Wylie distributed pamphlets to the girls on "Homemade Mixes." She also showed how to make attractive ties and belts to wear.

Next meeting is scheduled for February 16.

## Births

Mr. and Mrs. John Alvin Anderson of Houston announce the arrival of a son John Alvin, Jr., on Saturday, January 16. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Willie Anderson.

## Unique Drive Nets Cash for Polio

By TED McKENNA  
VISTA, Calif. (AP) More than 125 businessmen, public officials and civic leaders were "slaves" here yesterday in a unique fund raising project for the March of Dimes.

The "Slave Day" was the second phase of the polio fund raising drive in this northern San Diego County community. Last month the men were auctioned off as "slaves" by Howard D. Cunningham, news paper distributor. That project brought in more than \$1,200. An additional \$1,000 was collected yesterday.

The weekly Vista Press published a special edition yesterday

## Boyle

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scotch, gin and sherry; season with assorted canapes. Let stand on one foot for two hours in covered, smoke-filled living room while airing political views and exchanging inside information on government. Takes aspirin and goes to bed.

If all has gone well, the host later should receive at least five invitations to attend similar parties. The main thing is not to vary the recipe by introducing ribald old party games such as postoffice or pin-the-tail-on-the-donkey.

The exodus of Democrats and the reduction in the number of federal employees here is solving the Washington housing shortage.

You no longer have to trade a landlord a key to Ft. Knox in order to get a key to an apartment.

One lady told me there were five vacancies in her building. Before he could even move into an apartment he had to lose a new comer here was given a new lease by his landlord cutting his rent \$13 a month.

The falling federal payroll has many businessmen worried. An organization of 100 small firms has started a campaign to lure new industries here in an attempt to make the Washington area less dependent on Uncle Sam's paychecks.

Hurdles to be cleared are the lack of trained factory labor here and antiquated zoning laws. Naturally, many of the older residents don't want the Washington Monument to be mistaken for a smokestack.

Best anecdote I heard in Washington: An elderly public servant here retired after 45 years on the same government payroll.

But soon his wife complained she found him underfoot whenever she tried to do a household chore. "I told my husband he should have rounded out a full 50 years before quitting," she confided to a neighbor. "But you know him—always so impetuous."

## Lancaster May Quit the Movies

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Burt Lancaster, leading contender in this year's Oscar race, today made the startling statement that he may quit pictures in a couple of years. Ordinarily, I view such declarations with tongue in cheek. Actors are always saying how they want to get away from it all. But Burt is such an independent and strong-willed cuss that he might do it.

I talked with him in the production offices of Hecht-Lancaster at Keynotes Studios a refurbished quickie lot. But seemed very happy to be behind a desk, much more so than he had ever appeared in his makeup.

"Acting in movies is a dreadful bore," he said. "Once in a while you come across a script that is exciting to do. But the rest of the time acting is incredibly dull. You do the work in bits and pieces so that it's virtually impossible to build and sustain a performance. It takes a great deal of celebration (thinking—Webster's) to deliver a job that is really outstanding."

"Besides, an actor has no real control over his work. He is at the mercy of mechanical factors. On the stage it's different. When you get out in front of the audience, you're on your own. My great ambition is to get into directing. It fascinates me. I love it. Perhaps in a couple of years I can start making the transition from actor to director. I'll do both until I find out if I'm going to be successful in directing. If I'm accepted, I'll give up acting."

As a matter of fact, there are some directors who claim Burt has done directing already. He admits "I can't help it," he declared. "I'm the king of a guy who won't do a thing just because I'm told to do it. I have to know why I am doing something, and if it doesn't seem right to me, I'll squawk my head off. Most directors resent this. I drive 'em crazy."

"Even on 'From Here to Eternity' they thought I was nuts. I'd get (studio boss Harry) Cohn, (producer Fred) Zinneman together on a Sunday and discuss certain scenes."

Burt's passion for independence stems from his earlier days as a slum kid and later a circus acrobat. More than once he has revolted under studio control. Now he is able to determine his own film destiny almost completely.

He and his long-time partner Harold Hecht have an impressive schedule of productions lined up for their own company. Although they have made five other pictures, this is the first time they have been entirely independent.

## FOUND HANGING

OSCEOLA (AP)—The body of Thomas CANTU, 36-YEAR-OLD Me was found hanging by a heavy cord from a tree near here yesterday. Coroner E. M. Holt withheld a verdict pending further investigation.

and sold each copy for 25 cents. Publisher Everett Remsburg do nated all the proceeds, approximately \$300, to the March of Dimes.



FALL IN AND COUNT OFF—Terence Albert, 2, of Minneapolis, Minn., pleads with mother dachshund to keep her brood in order, numerically, that is. Forming a sausage string, the pups are named Eins, Zwei, Drei, Vier, Fuenf, and Sechs, which happen to be numbers one through six in German. Even, though the pups are numbered, Terry has trouble distinguishing them.

## DOROTHY DIX

### Husband's Infatuation

Dear Miss Dix: Two months ago my husband told me he didn't love me; that he was in love with another woman. She's 43, he's 34. We've been married fourteen years and have four children. Cy my husband, says he will never marry this other woman, even if I give him his freedom. I don't know where I've failed him. I've kept his home neat and clean given him good meals on time and kept his clothes in order. Should I take him back, or forget him? He has a terrible temper. Now he's left home and is living by himself.

Answer: You enumerate such a long list of things you did to make your husband comfortable but you left out many you might have done. Did you show an interest in his work? Did you have time to talk to him when he wanted to talk? Were you ready and willing to go out with him, if he wanted to go? In other words, understanding and sympathy as well as good house-keeping? Have a good long talk with yourself. Face facts squarely: are you a nagger, do you pay too much attention to your house, and not enough to the people in it? Are you unduly critical of your husband's friends and relatives? Do you insist on having things your own way in the home? Are you unwilling to entertain your husband's guests? Consider each of these points.

### Husband's Return Expected

Since your husband doesn't want a divorce there's practically no question but what he'll return to the family hearth. With four children to care for there's no use precipitating a crisis especially since you quite evidently don't want one. Sit tight and await the penitent wanderer. Make sure you get support for your family while he's gone. Don't let him get used to shirking his responsibilities. Probably he just needs solitude to think over his problem. With time out to consider the weaknesses of your marriage you'll both get back on a sounder foundation of better understanding.

Dear Miss Dix: My 45-year-old husband has a marked admiration for girls young enough to be his daughters. At any gathering he spends all his time in attendance on the younger element. He says he loves me is proud of me, our children and our home yet his attention is directed easily toward young single girls.

Answer: Your man seems to need constant assurance that his youth isn't slipping away. Of course, the girls who respond to his attention are doing so chiefly for business reasons: after all, one doesn't antagonize the boss if one is tactful. When they get together and compare notes the girls undoubtedly agree that he's a bit silly. As a countermeasure, try some flattery on him yourself; I bet it gets results.

Dear Miss Dix: I'm very anxious to marry a nice girl, and settle down in a small house I have built. I've been going with a charming girl, but when I asked her to marry me, she said she didn't know me well enough. I'm 28, the girl is 22.

Answer: The young lady's answer certainly wasn't discouraging. Faint heart ne'er won fair lady, remember. Continue your courting, but don't try to rush her to a hasty decision.

Dear Miss Dix: When Lonnie went into the army he promised to write me. When he didn't, I got his address from his sister, wrote about nine times, but never received a reply. When he came home last week, I learned that he had been married, but is now separated. He asked me to marry him when he gets his divorce Should I wait?

Answer: No, with double emphasis. Apparently you've acted like such a fool over the boy, that he's convinced you'll fall into his arms at any moment. Do keep a bit of pride, and continue going with the boys you met during Lonnie's absence. Don't play second fiddle. (Released by The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Cockroaches are found among the most primitive of fossilized forms of winged insects.

## City to Meet

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Alderman Charles Tarpley who questioned the need for a new one when \$2,500 would repair the old one. Mayor Wilson cited the demand for a larger machine, doubting anything could be saved by repairs.

The old machine was described a pretty well worn out. Tarpley retorted that the City was going to have to start tightening the purse strings some place to pay off a 30 year bond indebtedness. On a motion by Joe Jones, seconded by H. C. Murphy the group voted 7 to 1 to purchase the machine.

After champagne is bottled, it develops an unpleasant sediment which is removed by collecting it in the neck of the bottle and then freezing the wine in the neck, removing the cork and part of the frozen wine and then replacing the cork.

## WOUNDS FATAL

FIGGOT (UP)—L. O. Sam- ples, 70, died in a hospital here today of bullet wounds. Officers said Samples apparently shot himself at his home. He was shot in the head by a .38 caliber special revolver. The gun was found in the room at his home where the shooting occurred.

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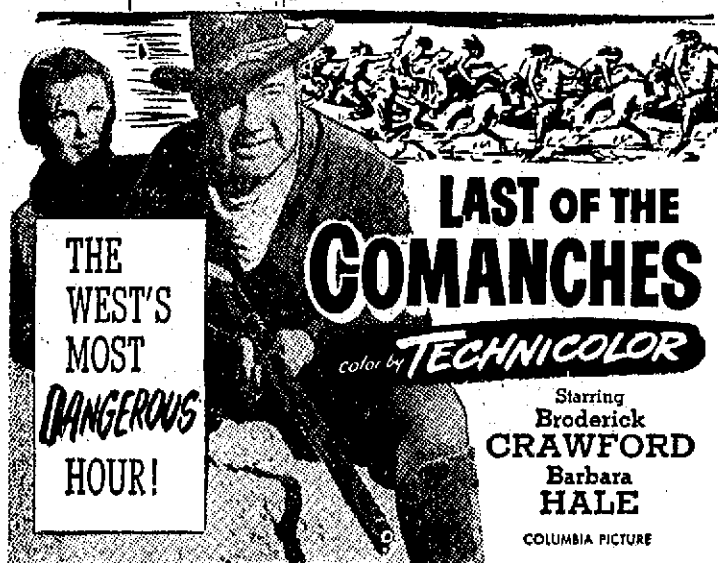
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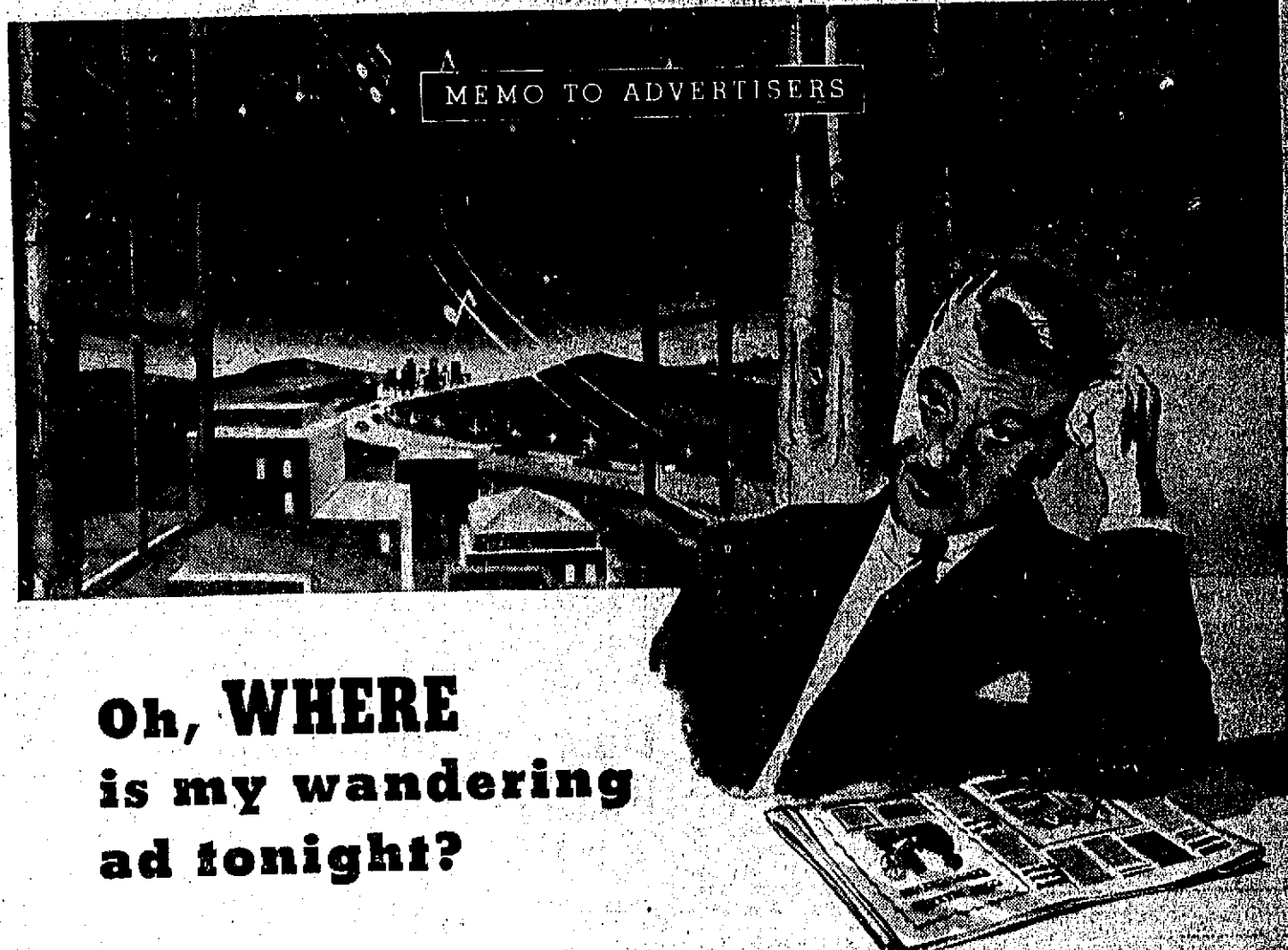
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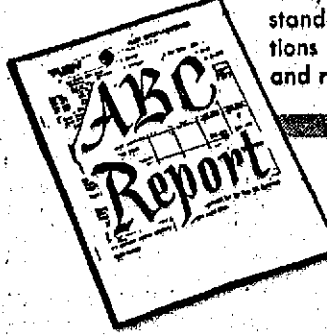
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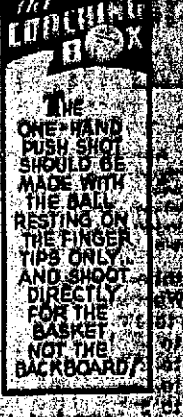
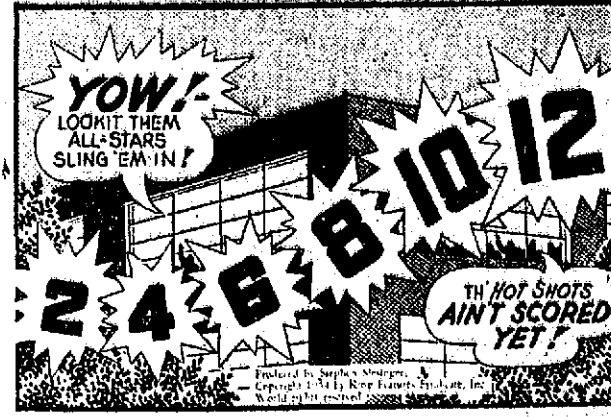
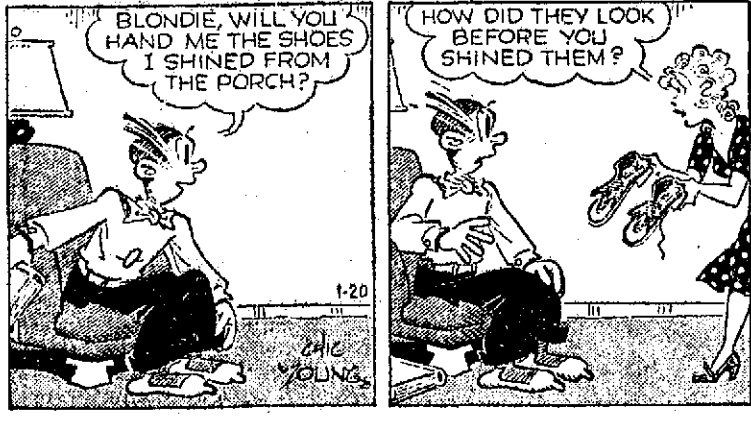
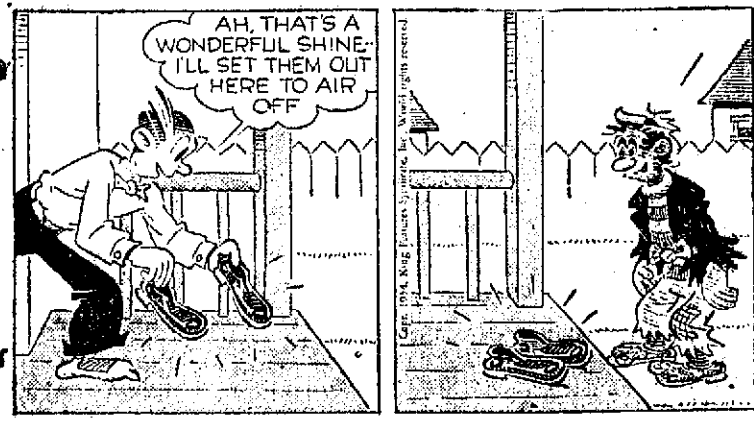




BLONDIE

By Chick Young OZARK IKE

By Roy Galt



Baby Business

**ACROSS**

- Baby's bed
- Baby's father
- Baby's food catcher
- Flower
- Landed
- Before
- Straightness
- Correlative of neither
- Assail
- Swapping
- Musical instrument
- On baby's floor
- Perform
- Venture
- Pretend
- Wanderer
- Baby's chair
- Blame
- Place within
- Wild hog
- Pouches
- Color
- Demented
- Chinese city
- Most trite
- Baby girl's name
- Exclamation
- Heights
- Constellation
- French baby's dad
- Agas
- Baby's physician (coll.)
- Swedish (ab.)
- Withered

**DOWN**

- Crustacean
- Part
- Mrs. Osiris
- Post Stephen Vincent
- Card game
- Kind of vinegar
- Evergreen tree
- Essential oil
- Deluded
- Press
- Floating ice mass
- Musical exercises
- Oxidizes
- Removes baby's clothes
- Nomad
- Palm tree fruit
- Balsam poplar
- Heroic poems
- Fish
- Light
- Allot
- Wall painting
- In proper position (football)
- What baby wears
- Oceans
- Baseball teams
- Tropical food plant
- Diving duck
- Land measure
- Close
- Essential being
- Baby boy's nickname

CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



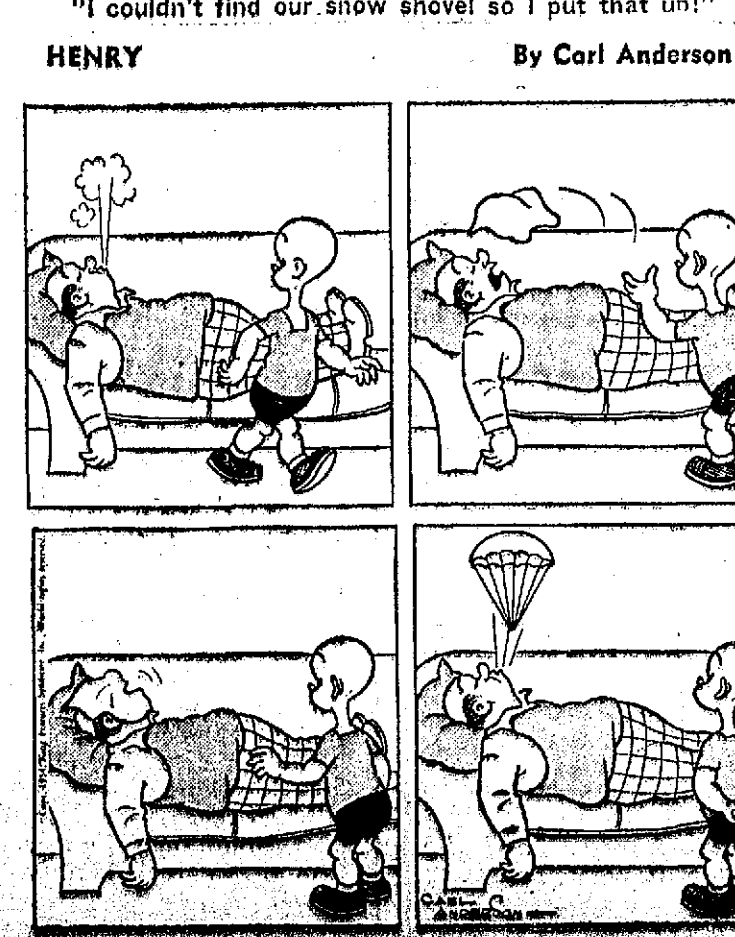
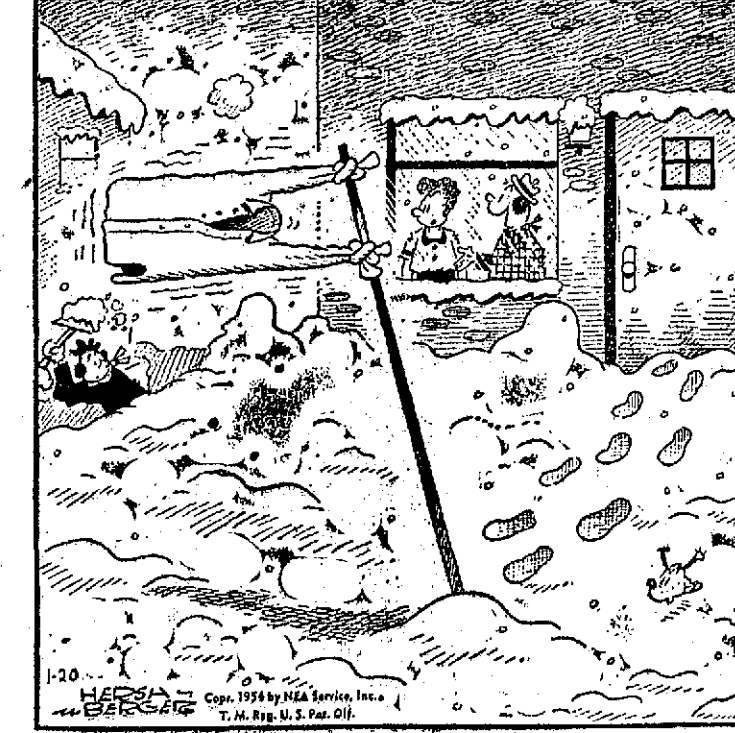
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With Major Hoople



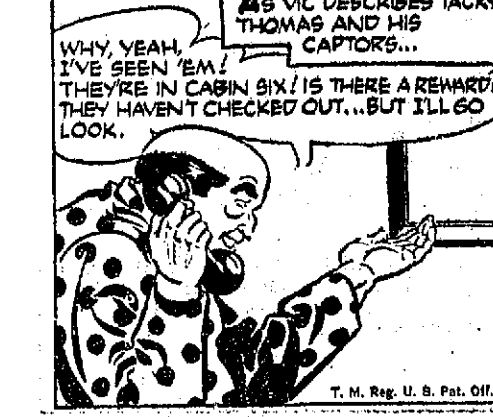
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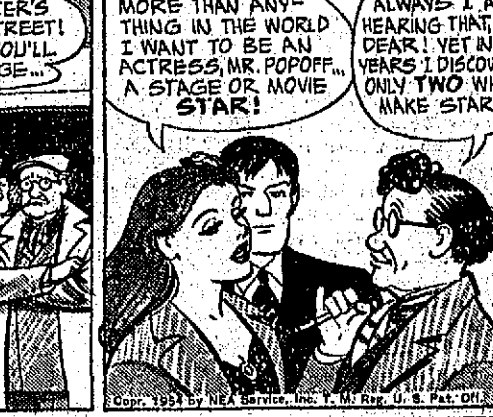
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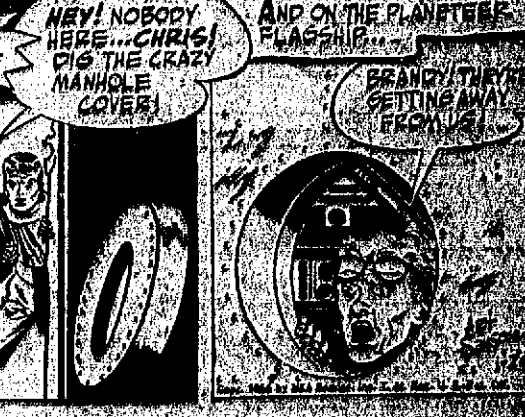
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# Liz Wants to Heave French Mannish Style

By BOB THOMAS  
HOLLYWOOD — American women should give the heave-ho to the mannish styles that France is trying to foist on them, Lizbeth Scott counseled today.

"Oh, they're awful," she exclaimed in her foggy voice. She had seen some pictures of the late Paris styles. The models had boyish haircuts and their outfits lacked the curves that are customary with most females.

"Terrible, terrible," she said. "It's absolutely subversive. What will happen to the institution of marriage? No man wants to marry someone who looks like his brother. Or, if he's an older man, like his son."

"This could upset our whole system. It's the women who keep men from fighting. If men lose their respect for women and treat them as men, it could lead to chaos!"

Miss Scott admitted a laugh that sounded like an off-center buzz saw, for it gathered that she wasn't entirely serious. Perhaps she was putting it a little strongly. But there was no doubt that she was perturbed by the Parisian trend in women's styles.

"I think it's all right for women to wear trousers," she commented. "But I favor the fitted, tapered pants that cling to a woman's figure and show her contours. I also like with it a blouse that will reveal the outline of her bosom, not conceal it."

"I'll go halfway on the mannish look. If a woman appears mannish, below the neck her face and hair should be feminine. If she wants to wear a short haircut that looks like a man's, her clothes should be feminine."

"But I can think of nothing worse than a woman wearing one of those flat, chested, narrow-hipped outfits and a short haircut with little makeup. That's supposed to be the new style too—heavy eye makeup, a thin line of lipstick and a white face. Ugh! I suppose some of the ultra-smart women will dress up like that, and you'll see such things in the high-fashion magazines."

"Most American women wouldn't think of sacrificing their glamor so. They would love whatever changes they have for men."

# Patton to Give Aussies Run for Money

By JACK STEVENSON  
LOS ANGELES, Calif. (AP)—Mel Patton, who set existing records in three events more than four years ago, figures he'll give Australians a good run for their money next month.

But the long-legged former University of Southern California star, now 29, lets it be known his living will continue to come from teaching, not sprinting. He'll train whenever he can sandwich it in.

Patton confirmed the announcement from Melbourne yesterday that he has agreed to race against Australian Herb McKenzie and leading Aussie props in what is billed as the world professional foot racing championships. He declined to say how much cash he'll get. Since the races are Feb. 12 and 13, he'll have to get in shape in a hurry. Weighing 152, or just four pounds more than when in college, he thinks he can do it—but doesn't

# GI Rapist Held for Sanity Test

DALLAS, (AP) — A sanity hearing starts here today for a 20-year-old AWOL soldier, charged with rape and robbery in a fear-packed, all night ride into Arkansas.

Defense Attorneys for Donald J. Sutcliffe won a motion for a sanity hearing yesterday before District Judge Jarold B. Wright. The judge had overruled another motion for continuance of the same issue.

A motion for a continuance on ground the defendant had given a new statement in the case also was overruled yesterday by Judge Wright.

Attorneys for the Detroit soldier said yesterday he "was insane last Dec. 11 and is insane now."

Sutcliffe is accused of kidnapping a young Dallas couple at gunpoint, forcing them to drive into Arkansas from Dallas and raping the wife twice while the husband was locked in the trunk of the car.

The couple was released by their abductor near Donaldson, Ark. Sutcliffe was captured near Malvern, Ark., as he attempted to hitch a ride with two officers who were searching for the kidnaper.

# St. Lawrence Seaway Is Debated

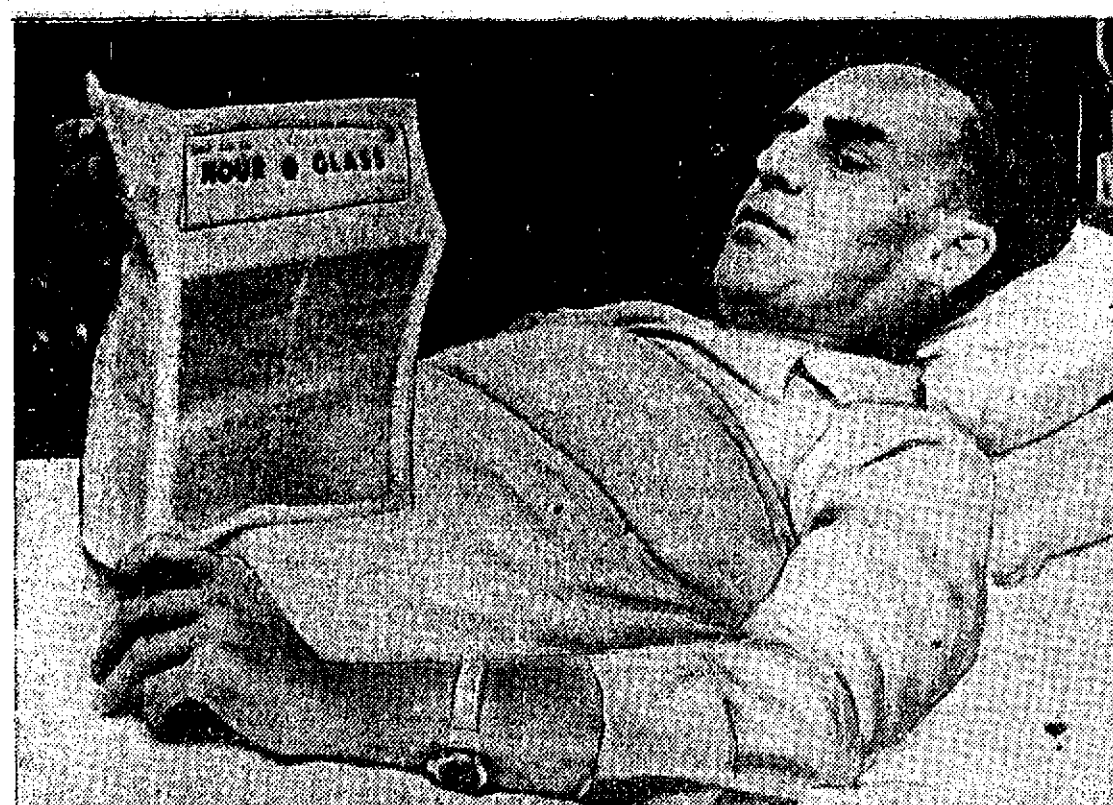
By JAMES EMARLOW  
WASHINGTON — Every president for 30 years—including President Eisenhower—has blessed the idea of making the St. Lawrence River a seaway for ocean going ships to travel between the Atlantic and the Great Lakes.

For a week the Senate has been debating a bill to make the United States a partner with Canada in developing such a seaway. This would mean deepening the channel and building some locks at a cost of 88 million dollars to this country, 175 millions to Canada.

This issue has bounced around in Congress since the end of World War I. But whenever it came to a vote, sometimes after weeks of debate, as it did in 1934, 1944, 1948 and 1952, the Senate voted it down. It may not do so now. In this session the House has not yet acted.

Canada, fed up waiting, finally said she would develop the seaway, with or without U. S. help. It's set to begin work by itself, if necessary.

Through the years military chiefs of staff, the secretary of defense, the National Security Board and the National Security Resources Board have approved the idea. Eisenhower says this



"PRIVILEGE" TO DIE OF CANCER—Rev. Julius Busse, a Catholic priest, of Parsons, Kan., dying of cancer thinks it's a privilege to die of the disease. A former 5th Army chaplain during World War II, the 48-year-old clergyman said, "It isn't the certainty of death that men fear—it is the uncertainty, and the person with cancer is blessed with time to prepare for death."



DISPUTE SETTLER—A new TV set shown at the American Furniture Mart in Chicago, Ill., should do much to settle husband-wife disputes concerning which program they are going to watch. The new set solves the problem for them—it gets two programs at the same time. Each viewer can watch his favorite program by looking at the screen through a polaroid window. Separate earphones are provided for each viewer.

# PRESCOTT NEWS

Wednesday, January 20  
On Wednesday evening Presbyterians and their friends will meet for supper at 6:30 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Spooner from the African Mission Field will be guests.

Thursday, January 21  
The Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist Church will meet on Thursday evening at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. Brad Bright.

Mrs. H. A. Knorr D. A. R. Guest  
The Benjamin Culp Chapter, about six years.

Sen. Wiley (R-Wis.), leading the Senate fight for the bill, estimates 75 per cent of U. S. merchant ships could come down the seaway. For the rest the channel wouldn't be deep enough. The biggest of the ships which came through could go no farther west than Toledo, Ohio.

Widening the Great Lakes' channels so such ships could travel farther west would have to wait for some other day.

Meanwhile, the state of New York and the province of Ontario plan to build river power dams—whether or not the United States joins Canada in developing the seaway—with a capacity of 12,000,000 kilowatt hours of electricity. This would be divided equally between New York and Ontario. New York could distribute its share of the power as far east as Maine. Total cost of this program: 600 million dollars.

Here are main arguments for American participation in the seaway:

If the United States doesn't get in on it, Canada will do it alone, and collect the tolls: the seaway would cut 1,000 miles of the open-sea route to West Europe; in case of war it would give this country just that much transportation and the Great Lakes shipyards could build oceangoing ships, at least up to the size of destroyers; the Midwest would have a direct water route to the sea, meaning some cheaper freight rates.

Supporters of the idea, besides the Eisenhower administration, include farm organizations, the CIO, most rural electric cooperatives, a lot of Midwest chambers of commerce, and state federations of labor.

Here are main arguments of the opponents:

A 27-foot channel is impractical because big ships can't use it; the seaway would be frozen at least four months a year; it's not necessary since the railroads, hauling freight to and from the Eastern ports, can take care of Midwest shipping problems; it would require federal funds better spent elsewhere.

Main opponents of the seaway include railroads, who'd lose the business that went by ship; coal miners whose best customer shared the railroads, and the big Eastern ports.

national board meeting. She also gave enlightening facts on the Soviet spy rings inside the United States Government from the United States News. A World Report issue of Aug. 28th.

Mrs. Nnorr also spoke strongly for the Bricker Amendment that has the approval of the National D. A. R. Congress and explained its purpose.

Mrs. J. L. Coe Complimented

Mrs. N. A. Peters and Mrs. Mack Roberts entertained with a pink and blue shower on Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Violet Coe complimenting Mrs. J. L. Coe. Dainty arrangements of white carnations and yellow mums were placed at points of interest in the entertaining rooms.

Games were played with prizes being won by Mrs. Irene Slazek, Mrs. Dorothy McBride and the honoree whose prize was her lovely gifts presented to her in a decorated basket.

After the gifts were displayed cake and coffee were served to nineteen guests.

Mrs. A. S. Buchanan Entertains Canasta Club  
Mrs. A. S. Buchanan entertained members of the 1950 Canasta Club on Thursday afternoon at the Lawson Hotel.

Colorful arrangements and red carnations formed the background for the players.

High score honor were won by Mrs. C. G. Gordon. A delectable

salad course was served to eight members and guests Mrs. Homer Ward, Mrs. William Buchanan and Mrs. Harold Parker.

Vuel Chamberlain Installed Kawanis President

Vuel Chamberlain, local druggist, was installed as president of the Kwanis Club of Prescott for the 1954 year last Thursday night.

Jim Nunn of Camden, lieutenant governor of the 14th district of Kansas served as the installing officer.

Other officers installed were Jack Robey, first vice president; Tillman Worthington, second vice president; Jeff Livingston, secretary, and Jeb Wylie, treasurer.

New members of the Board of Directors are Jim Nelson, Ellis Stewart, Bill Ward, Bob Hambricht, Jack Robey, Gene Lee, Ernest Jamison, Harold Smith and Mark Justus, immediate past president.

Mrs. Vuel Chamberlain was a guest at last week's meeting.

The next meeting of the club will be held at 6:15 p. m. Thursday at the Broadway Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Whit Davis Johnny and Sue of Jacksonville were the weekend guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. John A. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Ellsworth had as their Saturday night dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Garanto of Hope, Mr. Clifton Ingram of Baytop, La. and Mrs. Mose Smith of Ruston, La.

Mrs. Harold Lewis, Mrs. Roy Loomis and Billy Loomis were Saturday visitors in Texarkana.

Lt and Mrs. Jim Hamilton who have been in Paris, France the past several years where he has been stationed, have arrived home following his discharge from the Army and are temporarily at home with his mother, Mrs. Werner Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Parker Davis Jr., have returned to their home in Baytown, Texas after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Davis. Mrs. Davis graduated from Henderson State Teachers College Arkadelphia on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Colvée Cox of Hot Springs were Sunday visitors here.

George Howard Haynie has returned to Southern State College Magnolia after a weekend visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Haynie.

# Lion Completes 5th Colorado Well

EL DORADO, (AP) Lion Oil Co., of El Dorado has completed its fifth well in the new Adena pool of Morgan County, Colo., Lion Vice President J. E. Howell said today.

The well is the Crane No. 1, which flowed 53 barrels of oil an hour on a 3/4 inch choke.

Lion has three additional wells drilling in the Adena area, Howell said.

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